IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

In Re:		In Proceedings for a
		Reorganization under
W.R. Grace & Co., et al.,		Chapter 11
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Debtor.		Case No.: 01-1139-JKF

VERIFIED STATEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE REPRESENTATION OF CREDITORS AS REQUIRED BY F.R.B.P. RULE 2019

James M. O'Brien, Esq., being first duly sworn, hereby deposes and states as follows:

- 1 I am an attorney with the law firm of <u>Hartley & O'Brien, PLLC 2001 Main</u>

 Street, Suite 600 Wheeling, WV 26003.
- 2. This Verified Statement is filed in accordance with Rule 2019 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure and in accordance with that certain Revised Order Requiring Filing of Statements Pursuant to Fed.R.Bankr.P. 2019 dated <u>October 22, 2004</u> (the "Revised Order").
- 3. The law firm of <u>Hartley & O'Brien</u>, <u>PLLC</u> has been retained as counsel for individual creditors in the above-referenced bankruptcy. The list of each of these creditors names and addresses is attached hereto.
- 4. This certifies that each creditor named on the attached list, marked Exhibit 1a, has executed a General Power of Attorney, marked Exhibit 1, authorizing R. Dean Hartley and/or James M. O'Brien to represent the creditor in bankruptcy proceedings.
- 5. This certifies that each creditor named on the attached list, marked
 Exhibit 2c, has either executed a <u>Contract of Representation</u>, marked Exhibit 2, authorizing

 <u>Hartley & O'Brien, PLLC</u> to represent the creditor in bankruptcy proceedings, or executed a

 <u>Fee Agreement</u>, marked Exhibit 2a, retaining the law firm of Robert Pierce & Associates, which

law firm later referred the creditor's case to Hartley & O'Brien, PLLC as evidenced by the **Referral Letter**, marked Exhibit 2b, thereby authorizing Hartley & O'Brien, PLLC to represent the creditor in the bankruptcy proceeding.

6. The address of each Creditor for purposes hereof is as set forth in the exhibit list(s).

The Creditors hold claims in varying amounts for monetary damages due to their injuries from exposure to the Debtors asbestos-containing products. Pursuant to the Revised Order, all of the relevant information identifying the Creditors and the nature and amount of their claim is contained in exhibits, which have not been scanned, but available upon motion and order of the Court.

- 8. The Law Offices of <u>Hartley & O'Brien, PLLC</u> does not hold any claims against or interest in the Debtor.
- 9. The Law Offices of <u>Hartley & O'Brien, PLLC</u> will file an amended and supplemental statement setting forth any material changes in the facts contained in this Verified Statement, should any such changes occur.

Respectfully submitted,

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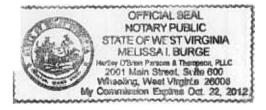
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that have served a true and exact copy of the foregoing **VERIFIED STATEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE REPRESENTATION OF CREDITORS AS REQUIRED BY F.R.B.P. RULE 2019,** and one true and exact copy of the 2 disk set forwarded to the court, to the following counsel and/or parties by depositing the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, this 16th day of December, 2004 addressed to:

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hereby certify that I have served a true and exact copy of the foregoing **VERIFIED STATEMENT IN CONNECTION WITH THE REPRESENTATION OF CREDITORS AS REQUIRED BY F.R.B.P. RULE 2019,** to the following counsel and/or parties by depositing the same in the United States mail, postage prepaid, this 16th day of December, 2004 addressed to:

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